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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

A copy of the Revocation of Prior Power of Attorney and Appointment of New Power, and the USPTO stamped return postcard acknowledging receipt of same, accompany this paper.

In response to the Office Action dated April 23, 2002, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please add the following claims:

59. (Added) In a communications network connecting telephones, a call transfer mechanism comprising:

means for determining proximity of a first telephone connected to the communications network to a second telephone connected to the communications network; and

means for transferring telephone calls directed to the first telephone to the second telephone in response to the determination of proximity.

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